

**Amendments to the Specification**

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The present application represents U.S. national stage of international application PCT/EP2004/011183, which had an international filing date of October 7, 2004, and which was published in English under PCT Article 21(2) on May 6, 2005. The international application claims priority to German application 103 47 888.4, filed on October 10, 2003.